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P R E S S R E L E A S E

Public Meeting on the Cleanup of the Former Morse Cutting Tools Site

New Bedford, Massachusetts-The public is invited to attend a civic meeting regarding the status of the cleanup, the former Morse Cutting Tools site (163 Pleasant Street, New Bedford, MA) a city-owned property, on Thursday, November 8th, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. at the nearby Alfred J. Gomes Elementary School located at 286 So. Second Street. Representatives of CBS Operations Inc., formerly known as Viacom International Inc., the party responsible for cleanup activities, will present the status of the cleanup project. The two potential closure options for the site (one of which requires an Activity and Use Limitation (AUL) restricting future use) will also be discussed.

Officials from the City of New Bedford and the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, the government agency overseeing cleanup activities, will also present information regarding the AUL and closure options. Representatives from area community groups will also be on hand to comment on the options presented. For more information, call the City of New Bedford Office of Environmental Stewardship at (508) 991-6188

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Time: 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Location: Alfred J. Gomes School, 286 So. Second St. New Bedford, MA

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